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Education

- Ph.D. Physics, University of Minnesota, 2000
Thesis Adviser: Cynthia Cattell
Thesis Title: FAST, Geotail and Polar Correlative Studies of Low-Frequency Waves and Magnetosphere-Ionosphere Coupling
- M.S. Physics, University of Minnesota, 1995
Thesis Adviser: Robert Gehrz
Thesis Title: Observing Lunar Impacts
- B.S. Physics, Summa Cum Laude, Mathematics Minor, University of Minnesota, 1992

Research Positions

- National Research Council Post-doctoral Research Associate
NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, 2000-2002
- Post-doctoral Researcher
University of Iowa, Starting June 2002

Research Interests

- Substorms, magnetic field dipolarizations and earthward flows
- Low-frequency waves in the magnetotail
- The relationship between Pi2 pulsations and earthward flows
- Alfvén waves in the auroral zone and their relation to magnetosphere ionosphere coupling
- Wavelet analysis

Selected Publications

Sigsbee, K., C. A. Cattell, F. Mozer, K. Tsuruda, T. Yamamoto, S. Kokubun, D. Fairfield, Geotail observations of low-frequency waves and earthward flows during substorm onsets in the near magnetotail, *J. Geophys. Res.*, *in press*, accepted September 2001.

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